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Re: New U.S. Patent Application  
PHOTOELECTRIC CONVERTING DEVICE  
By: Yoshio HAGIHARA  
Attorney Docket No. 15162/1690

Dear Sir:

Enclosed for filing are the following papers relating to a PHOTOELECTRIC CONVERTING DEVICE, Yoshio HAGIHARA, inventor:

- (1) Specification;
- (2) Unexecuted Declaration and Power of Attorney;
- (3) Formal Drawings (28 sheets);
- (4) Certified Copies of Priority Documents;
- (5) Information Disclosure Statement and PTO Form-1449, with copies of cited references;

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- (6) Transmittal of PrintEFS Patent Application  
Bibliographic Data; and
- (7) Check in the amount of \$1452.00 to cover the filing  
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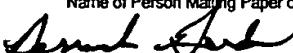
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TRANSMITTAL OF PrintEFS PATENT APPLICATION

BIBLIOGRAPHIC DATA

Submitted herewith is bibliographic data (2 pages) for the above-identified application, in the PrintEFS Version 1.0.1 program format.

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